

CLAIMS:

1. A system comprising at least a communication network, a user entity and a server entity, said user entity comprising:
- means for defining at least one itinerary search criterion and at least one service;
 - 5 - means for sending an itinerary search request to said server entity via said communication network, said request comprising at least said search criterion and said service;
 - means for receiving a response via said communication network;
 - means for presenting said response,
 - 10 said server entity comprising:
 - means for receiving said itinerary search request;
 - means for computing at least one itinerary from said search criterion by using a transport database;
 - means for selecting at least one provider providing said service and fulfilling
 - 15 at least one proximity condition with respect to the computed itinerary by using a database of service providers;
 - means for sending, to said user entity via said communication network, a response comprising the computed itinerary with localization of the selected provider.
- 20 2. A server entity comprising:
- means for receiving an itinerary search request, said request comprising at least one search criterion and at least one service;
 - means for computing at least one itinerary from said search criterion by using a transport database;
 - 25 - means for selecting at least one provider providing said service and fulfilling at least one proximity condition with respect to the computed itinerary by using a database of service providers;
 - means for sending a response comprising the computed itinerary with localization of the selected provider.

3. A search method comprising the steps of:
- defining at least one itinerary search criterion and at least one service;
 - computing at least one itinerary responding to said search criterion by using a
5 transport database;
 - selecting at least one provider providing said service which fulfills at least one
proximity condition with respect to the computed itinerary by using a database of service
providers;
 - presenting the computed itinerary with localization of the selected provider.
- 10 4. A search method as claimed in claim 3, wherein a transport mode is defined as
the itinerary search criterion and said proximity condition is adapted as a function of said
transport mode.
- 15 5. A search method as claimed in claim 3, wherein the computed itinerary
traverses one or several zones each being of a certain type, and said proximity condition is
adapted accordingly as a function of the type of traversed zones.
- 20 6. A search method as claimed in claim 3, characterized in that said step of
defining the service can be executed independently of the itinerary computation, and in that
the services defined are stored in a current list intended to be used during the itinerary
computation.
- 25 7. A program comprising instructions for performing an itinerary search method
as claimed in claim 3, when it is executed by a processor.
8. A signal conveying an itinerary search request comprising at least one
itinerary search criterion and at least one service, said request being addressed to a server
entity as claimed in claim 2.
- 30 9. A signal conveying a response to an itinerary search request, said response
being sent by a server unit as claimed in claim 2 and comprising at least one itinerary with
localization of at least one service provider.